



# ★ Phonics · Lesson 19

**Three-Letter Blends**


Some consonant blends have three letters. Consonant blends with three letters include *scr, squ, str, spr, spl,* and *thr*.




screw



square



throne



street



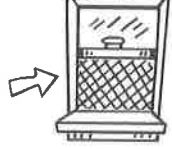
**A** Read each pair of words. Write the word that begins with a three-letter consonant blend.

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| 1. scam    scam    _____  | 5. strand    stand    _____ |
| 2. splat    spat    _____ | 6. stoke    stroke    _____ |
| 3. split    spit    _____ | 7. spout    sprout    _____ |
| 4. spy    spry    _____   | 8. strain    stain    _____ |

**B** Circle the word that makes sense in the sentence.

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| 1. The ___ car squealed to a stop.             | squawk  | squid   | squad   |
| 2. From his ___, the king waved to the people. | throb   | throne  | throw   |
| 3. He took big ___ down the street.            | streaks | strides | strokes |
| 4. What did the scribe ___ on the wall?        | scrawl  | scrub   | scram   |
| 5. The boy ___ three outs.                     | threat  | thrive  | threw   |
| 6. Please ___ the sprouts with water.          | sprain  | spray   | spree   |

**C** Write the correct word for each picture.

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| <p>1. </p> <p>threat    thread</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>2. </p> <p>squirm    squid</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>3. </p> <p>screen    scream</p> <p>_____</p> |
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